

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE BILL NO. 195

BY STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

AN ACT

RELATING TO VETERANS; AMENDING SECTION 65-101, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS RELATING TO THE COUNTY MEMORIAL COMMISSION AND ITS POWERS; AND AMENDING SECTION 65-602, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE CORRECT TERMINOLOGY AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

SECTION 1. That Section 65-101, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

65-101. COUNTY MEMORIAL COMMISSION – CREATION AND POWERS – APPROPRIATION. There is hereby created a county commission to consist of the commander, ~~or commanders or designee of the American Legion, other established and recognized body of World War veterans~~ local veteran service organizations and county commissioners in each county in the state of Idaho, said commission to receive no compensation for their services, ~~and to~~ The commission shall determine the kind, character, design and style of memorial to be erected in any county in the state of Idaho to the memory of deceased ~~soldiers, sailors and marines, service men and women~~ who lost their lives in the late war with Germany and her allies any war or conflict. Said commission to have full power and authority to determine the kind, character, design and style of said memorial ~~to be made for, and in~~ on behalf of; the citizens of this state.

SECTION 2. That Section 65-602, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

65-602. COMPENSATION AND OFFICE OF SERVICE OFFICER. The board of county commissioners shall fix the compensation, or a county contribution to the salary, of such service officer, provide ~~him~~ the individual with an office and the necessary equipment therefor in the same manner as is provided for any other county officer under the provisions of ~~chapter~~ section 31-1001, Idaho Code, and shall make provision in the budget for the employment of such service officer and the expense for the proper maintenance of such office. Payments therefor shall be from the general tax fund of the county or out of other available funds not otherwise appropriated.